



# Project Update: 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue Northeast

## Bicycle lanes and rapid flashing crosswalk beacons

### Construction begins later this month

9/16/2013

Planning

Design

Construction

Complete



- **Increase Bicyclist and Pedestrian Safety**
- **Connect Regional Bicycle Facilities**
- **Improve Sidewalk Connectivity**

*Thank you in advance for your patience and cooperation as we enhance your neighborhood.*

**Project Overview:** The Project includes new bike lanes on 100<sup>th</sup> Avenue Northeast between Northeast 124<sup>th</sup> Street and Northeast 132<sup>nd</sup> Street and new Rapid Flashing Beacons at two existing median island pedestrian crossings. The Rapid Flashing Beacons will replace the existing in-pavement lights that are no longer maintainable, and thus, out of service. Two existing median island trees will be replaced with more suitable columnar trees in order to accommodate the narrower median islands.

Rapid Flashing Beacons are user-activated flashing amber lights that supplement pedestrian warning signs at un-signalized intersections and mid-block crosswalks. The devices enhance safety by increasing driver awareness of the presence of pedestrians wishing to cross the street. Other work elements associated with the installation of the Rapid Flashing Beacons may include: replacement of existing non-conforming wheelchair ramps with new Americans with Disabilities wheel chair ramps and new pavement crosswalk markings.

**Why:** The Project will provide bicycle facilities on a key bicycle route. 100th Avenue Northeast connects Bellevue via downtown Kirkland and Juanita with the Sammamish River Trail in Bothell. Bicycle lanes exist over most of the corridor, and this Project will reduce the number of segments without lanes. See regional bicycle map on reverse side.

**When:** Construction is anticipated to begin in early October and be substantially complete by the end of November. Typical hours of operation will be an eight-hour work day between the hours of 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday.

**What to Expect:** Driving through the work zone might entail some inconvenience.

- Traffic control and flagging operations will be in effect.
- No-parking signs will be posted at least 24 hours in advance of any parking restrictions.
- Open trenches will be backfilled and/or covered at the end of each work day.
- Emergency vehicle access will be maintained throughout the construction process.

#### Easy access to information:

- Obtain current information: go to [www.kirklandwa.gov](http://www.kirklandwa.gov) and search "100th Avenue Bike Lanes."
- Call the construction hotline for updates: (425) 587-3838.
- Contact us with questions or comments (see below).

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## 100th Avenue Bike Lanes



Vicinity Map  
0 3,500 7,000 10,500  
Feet

### Legend

- Existing Sidewalks
- Fire Station
- City of Kirkland Boundary
- Building Footprint
- Railroad Centerline
- Dock/Pier
- Lake
- Tax Parcel Boundary
- Pavement Edge
- Park
- School
- Tax Parcels

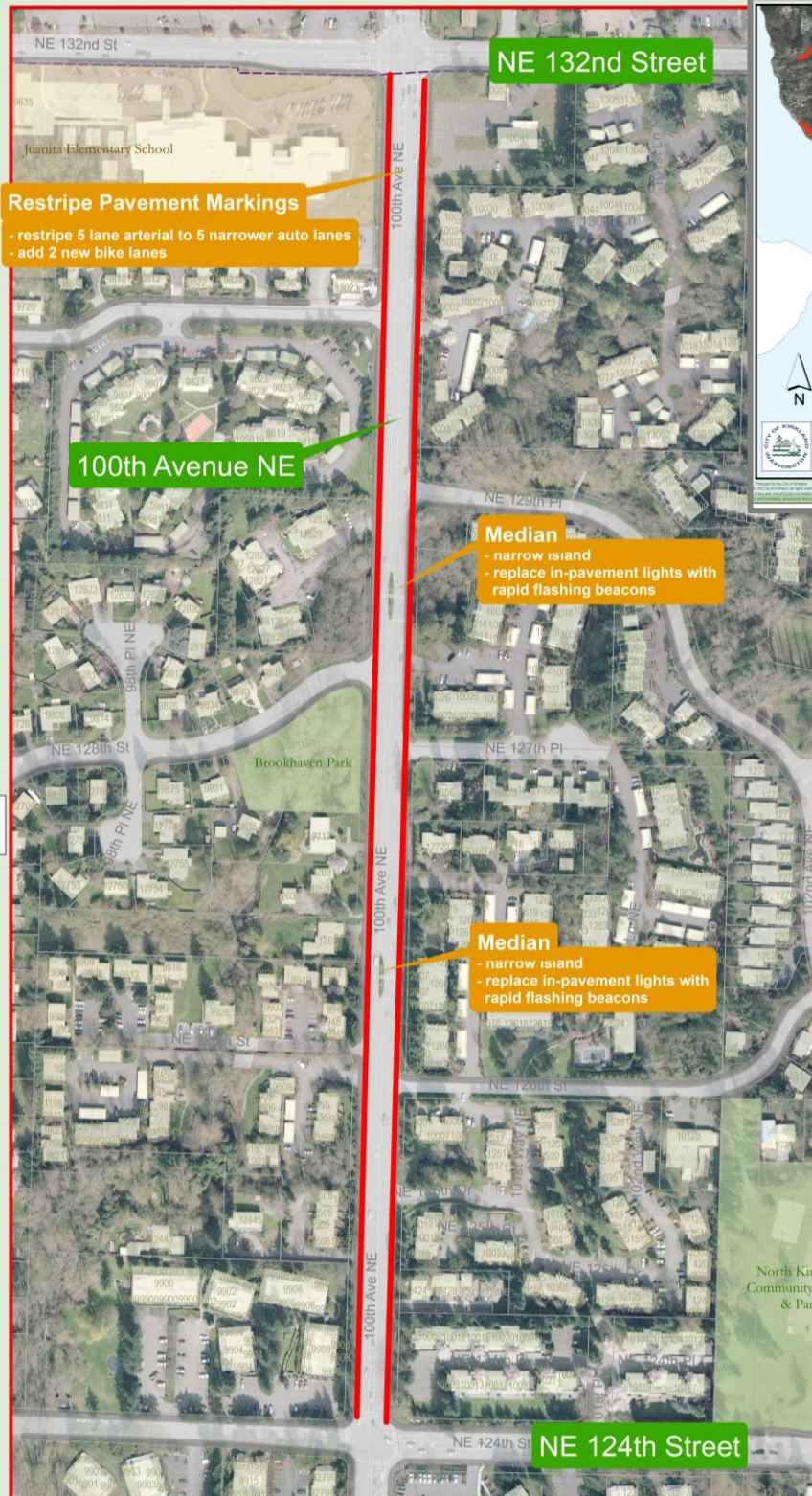
Construction Anticipated  
Month of October



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### Regional Bicycle Facilities

